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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

POD1US

First Inventor

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Title

Method and Apparatus for Improving  
Local Blood and Lymph Circulation

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

## ADDRESS TO:

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Alexandria, VA 22313-14501. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 31]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 3]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets 2]

- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)) (for a continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
- i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.767. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)

- a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
- b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
- i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
- ii. ☐ paper
- c. ☐ Statement verifying identify of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☒ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i).  
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17. ☒ Other: Check No. 1334 for \$673.00

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

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Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group / Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Complete if Known

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|----------------------|-------------------|
| Application Number   | Unassigned        |
| Filing Date          | January 21, 2004  |
| First Named Inventor | Yury Podrazhansky |
| Examiner Name        | Unassigned        |
| Art Unit             | Unassigned        |
| Attorney Docket No.  | POD1US            |

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity Fee  | Small Entity Fee | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|-------------------|------------------|------------------------|----------|
| Code (\$)         | Code (\$)        |                        |          |
| 1001 770          | 2001 385         | Utility filing fee     | 385.00   |
| 1002 340          | 2002 170         | Design filing fee      |          |
| 1003 530          | 2003 265         | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 1004 770          | 2004 385         | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 1005 160          | 2005 80          | Provisional filing fee |          |
| SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) |                  |                        | 385.00   |

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Extra Claims Fee from below Fee Paid

Total Claims 52 - 20\*\* = 32 X 9 = 288  
Independent Claims 2 - 3\*\* = 0 X 43 = 0  
Multiple Dependent  
Large Entity Fee Small Entity Fee Fee Description Fee Paid  
Code (\$)

| Large Entity Fee  | Small Entity Fee | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
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| Code (\$)         | Code (\$)        |  |          |
| 1202 18           | 2202 9           | Claims in excess of 20                                     |          |
| 1201 86           | 2201 43          | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |          |
| 1203 290          | 2203 145         | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |          |
| 1204 86           | 2204 43          | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |          |
| 1205 18           | 2205 9           | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |          |
| SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) |                  |  | 288.00   |

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity Fee                   | Small Entity Fee | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|------------------------------------|------------------|--|----------|
| Fee Code (\$)                      | Fee Code (\$)    |  |          |
| 1051 130                           | 2051 65          | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052 50                            | 2052 25          | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053 130                           | 1053 130         | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812 2,520                         | 1812 2,520       | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination                            |          |
| 1804 920*                          | 1804 920*        | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1805 1,840*                        | 1805 1,840*      | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251 110                           | 2251 55          | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 1252 420                           | 2252 210         | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253 950                           | 2253 475         | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254 1,480                         | 2254 740         | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255 2,010                         | 2255 1,005       | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401 330                           | 2401 165         | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402 330                           | 2402 165         | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403 290                           | 2403 145         | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451 1,510                         | 1451 1,510       | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452 110                           | 2452 55          | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453 1,330                         | 2453 665         | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1501 1,330                         | 2501 665         | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 1502 480                           | 2502 240         | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503 640                           | 2503 320         | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 1460 130                           | 1460 130         | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 1807 50                            | 1807 50          | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)  |          |
| 1806 180                           | 1806 180         | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 8021 40                            | 8021 40          | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1809 770                           | 2809 385         | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))                |          |
| 1810 770                           | 2810 385         | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 1801 770                           | 2801 385         | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802 900                           | 1802 900         | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |
| Other fee (specify)                |                  |  |          |
| * Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid |                  |  |          |
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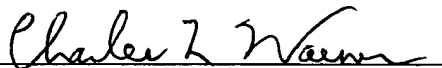
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| <b>NONPUBLICATION REQUEST</b><br><b>UNDER</b><br><b>35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)</b> | First Named Inventor   Yury Podrazhansky |  |
|   | Title                                    | Method and Apparatus for Improving Local Blood and Lymph Circulation |
|   | Att. Docket Number   POD1US              |  |

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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